

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR WEB BASED MULTIPARTY
COUNSELING**

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ABSTRACT

A method and apparatus are provided for conducting
10 counseling over the Internet. A server is provided for
establishing, controlling and tracking sessions which may
include plural patients and one counselor or one
counselor and one patient. Each counselor may be
simultaneously involved in plural sessions, i.e., it
15 appears to each individual patient that he/she is engaged
in one on one counseling. Counselors are thereby able to
increase their workload while also able to track their
time per patient counseled in order to bill
appropriately.

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